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1 2 3 4 5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 7 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 8 9 WINE SCOUT INTERNATIONAL, Plaintiff, 10 No. C 07-05930 JSW 11 v. 12 PATRICIA CROWELL, ORDER DENYING 13 Defendant. DMINISTRATIVE MOTION TO ENLARGE TIME 14 15 16 The Court has reviewed and considered the parties' submissions with respect to 17 defendant Patricia Crowell's motion to enlarge time to respond to plaintiff Wine Scout 18

International's complaint. Crowell argues that she will be prejudiced if the time to respond to the complaint is not enlarged because she would lose an opportunity to file a motion to dismiss based on anticipated conduct by the United States Patent & Trademark Office ("PTO"). The Court finds her argument unpersuasive. If the PTO approves the deletion of International Class No. 35, Crowell will be able to address the affect of such action on the above-captioned matter through a motion for judgment on the pleadings or a motion for summary judgment. The Court HEREBY DENIES Crowell's motion. /// /// ///

The Court admonishes the parties that if either believes that litigation in this matter
should be postponed until after the PTO resolves the matter pending before it, the proper
method to seek such relief would be to file a properly noticed motion to stay this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 28, 2008

JEPFREY S/WHITE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE